

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Registration & Stamps Department – Allegation of violation of rules by registering assigned lands against Sri Ch.Venkata Ratnam, Sub Registrar (Retd.) - Departmental proceedings instituted under rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (CCA) Rules, 1991 – Regular inquiry conducted – Report Submitted – Provisional decision to impose penalty of 5% cut in pension permanently – Show cause notice – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1818

Dated:19-9-2008  
Read the following:

- 1) From the C & I.G. of R&S Letter No.X4/28971/94, Dt.20-1-2001 and 20-1-2001.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.1278, Revenue (Vig.VI) Dept. dt.20-6-2001.
- 3) Defence statement of Sri Ch.Venkataratnam, Sub Registrar (Retd.) dt. 25-8-2001 & 18-7-2003.
- 4) G.O.Rt.No.114 and 115, dt.18-1-2005.
- 5) From C & I.G. Letter No.X2/28971/94, dt.29-6-2007.
- 6) Govt.Memo.No.5914/Vig.VI(1)/2001-7, dt.21-1-2008
- 7) From Sri Ch.Venkataratnam, Retd.Grade.I S.R. representation dt.25-6-2008.

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In the G.O. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the following charge has been framed against Sri Ch.Venkata Ratnam, Sub Registrar (Retd.)

**Charge:**

“That the said Sri Ch.Venkata Ratnam, formerly Sub Registrar, Vijayawada and presently Sub Registrar, Kaikaluru (Retd.), while working as Sub Registrar, Vijayawada had registered the documents relating to assigned lands at Sub Registrar Office, Vijayawada inspite of it being included in the list of prohibited lands from registration and the audit objections were sustained by way of corroboration from Mandal Revenue Officer (urban) Vijayawada Relating to R.S.No.134/2(Extgent Ac.,6.69) and R.S.No.143 of Vidhayadara Puram and R.S.No.12 of Muthyalampadu. Thus he violated the statutory provisions of prohibition of transfer.”

2. After examination of Statement of defence submitted by the Charged Officer, a Regular enquiry was ordered by appointing the District Registrar, Vijayawada as Regular Enquiry Officer to conduct Regular Enquiry into the matter.

3. The Regular Enquiry Officer after conducting enquiry into the charges framed against Sri Ch. Venkata Ratnam, formerly Sub Registrar (Retd), has submitted his report holding the charges as “proved”.

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4. Government after careful consideration of the matter has provisionally decided to impose the penalty of 5% cut in pension permanently on Sri Ch. Venkata Ratnam, Sub Registrar now retired from service, for the charges held proved against him in the inquiry and a show cause notice has issued to the Charged Officer in the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above.

5. Sri Ch. Venkata Ratnam, formerly Sub Registrar (Retd.) has submitted representation to Government to consider his case sympathetically and to exonerate him from the charges on humanitarian grounds.

6. Government after careful examination of the representation of Sri Ch.V.Ratnam, formerly Sub Registrar, have decided to exonerate him from the charges framed against him. Accordingly, it is hereby ordered to exonerate Sri Ch.V.Ratnam, formerly Sub Registrar (Retd.) from the charges framed against him.

7. The Commissioner & Inspector General of Registration & Stamps shall take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.RATNA PRABHA  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The individual through Commissioner & Inspector  
General of Registration & Stamps, Hyderabad.  
The Commissioner & Inspector General of  
Registration & Stamps, Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER